

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants:

M. HORIGUCHI, et al.

Application No.:

10/724,781

Filed:

December 2, 2003

For:

SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE HAVING A

POWER-DOWN MODE

Art Unit:

2818

Examiner:

H. V. Ho

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 October 8, 2004

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 11, 2004, the period of response for which extension is requested by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, please amend the above-identified application as listed below and as set forth on the following pages:

Amendments to the Claims and

Remarks are included following the amendments.